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DENNIS D. HUSCH NAMED VICE MAYOR, TOWN OF HERNDON

Herndon, VA (July 12, 2006) – Town of Herndon Mayor Stephen J. DeBenedittis and members of the Town Council approved a resolution naming Dennis D. Husch as vice mayor for the Town for the 2006-2008 term.

The resolution electing Husch, considered by the council at its work session on July 11, passed with a vote of 6-0, with Husch abstaining. Traditionally, the councilmember who receives the highest number of votes during the general Town elections is nominated and elected to the post of vice mayor; Husch received more than 1,500 votes on May 2, more than any other candidate.

“It has been my privilege to serve the citizens of Herndon as councilmember these past twelve years,” Husch said. “I am honored by this additional trust placed in me and I look forward to working with the mayor and council on the myriad issues before us.”

A 23-year resident of Herndon and a 35 year resident of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Husch was first elected to the Town Council in 1994. He also serves on the Virginia State Corporation Commission Division of the Utility and Railroad Safety Damage Prevention Advisory Committee.

As a member of the Town Council, Husch has chaired the Downtown Trolley Study Committee and the Level of Service Ad Hoc Committee. He has served on the council's Finance Ad-Hoc Committee and as the Town's representative to the Transportation Coordinating Council, World Congress for Information Technology and the Commonwealth's Joint Commission on Technology and Science. He has been a member of the Hispanic Task Force, the Mayor's Sports Field Inventory Task Force and the Herndon Telecommunications and Management Information Technology Advisory Group.

The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3rd largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 22,000 citizens. Businesses located within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 23,500 people.

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